

Page 57, line 17, change "coefficients" to --gains--, line 19, change "coefficients" to --gains--.

Page 63, line 9, change "coefficients" to --gains--, line 18, change "coefficients" to --gains--.

Page 67, line 19, change "coefficients" to --gains--.

Page 68, line 3, change "coefficients" to --gains--.

REMARKS

Claims 1-24 are pending. By this Amendment, minor changes to the specification are made. No new matter is added.

In view of the foregoing remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe anything further is desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at the telephone number listed below.

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